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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION
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For: CROSSLINKABLE AROMATIC RESIN)	
HAVING PROTONIC ACID GROUP, AND ION)	
CONDUCTIVE POLYMER MEMBRANE,)	
BINDER AND FUEL CELL USING THE RESIN)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned patent application, kindly amend the application as follows.